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DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

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BOARD TO LEARN TRUTH ABOUT GOV. HORNER IS URGED

Adamowski Says State of
Executive's Health
Should Be Known

BULLETIN

Springfield, Ill., March 13.—(AP)—Governor Horner in his first press interview in two months, gave an emphatic denial today to Lieut. Governor John Stelle's charge that he had surrendered control of the state government to a small "clique".

"That is one thing I haven't lost—my power as governor," he told reporters at the executive mansion.

Declaring he "felt fine", the governor said he expects personally to participate in the primary campaign in behalf of Harry B. Hershey, Democratic candidate for governor.

"Who in the hell do you think I'm for?" the governor asked when a reporter inquired if he would take the stump for Hershey.

"I'm for Hershey from soup to breakfast," he said. "I never was and never will be for the other fellow (Stelle)."

Appears Fraud

Horner appeared frail to newsmen, who last saw him in early January. He received his interviewers in a bedroom at the executive mansion. He was dressed in pajamas and dark red lounging robe, was seated in a chair and was smoking a cigar.

The governor was reminded that Stelle and Rep. Benjamin S. Adamowski, candidate for senator, had been charging in campaign speeches that "usurpers"—close aides of the chief executive, had taken over control of the statehouse.

"That hasn't even been done by the poker players", the governor smiled. Associates said he was referring to friendly card games he has been having with members of the mansion staff.

"I have refused to talk with Stelle," the governor continued. "Any one of my fellows who works for the state, and who showed less sense of honor than Stelle, I wouldn't have working for the state. I wouldn't have him (Stelle) as a messenger boy."

Springfield, Ill., March 13.—(AP)—Creation of a board of doctors and clergymen to make a "thorough inquiry" into Governor Horner's physical condition was advocated today by State Rep. Benjamin S. Adamowski of Chicago, Democratic candidate for United States Senator.

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State Troops to Stop Closing of Grand River Dam

Oklahoma City, March 13.—(AP)—Gov. Leon C. Phillips looked to the National Guard today for aid in his fight over the \$20,000,000 Grand River dam.

The pugnacious, red-headed governor, ardent advocate of state's rights, declared he would call out troops "sometime" today to place martial law in effect at the hydro-electric project and prevent closing the last unfinished gap in the dam.

Phillips seeks \$550,000 reimbursement for state lands, roads and bridges which would be inundated with the flooding of the reservoir.

National Guard units were mobilized at Tulsa and Tahlequah and moved to a concentration point at Wagoner, about 60 miles from the dam site.

Adjutant General Louis A. Ledbetter said he anticipated no trouble but added:

"We will use enough men to take care of the situation and overcome any resistance".

The troops were armed with machine-guns in addition to rifles and sidearms.

"I don't know how we could resist", T. P. Clonts, general manager of the project, commented at Vinita.

Gave Final Warning

Phillips' decision for a showdown with the Public Works Administration and the Grand River Dam Authority was reached after the GRDA failed to heed a final warning. "I'm not kidding".

In Washington John M. Cardmoy, Federal Public Works Administrator, commented caustically:

"The only marching troops that I know anything about are marching in Europe and Asia. x x x In this country we are accustomed to present our disputes before regularly constituted courts".

Ray McNaughton, GRDA chairman, advised Phillips he had tried unsuccessfully for assurances from the PWA that Oklahoma would be reimbursed.

The controversy began its swift march to a climax two weeks ago as Phillips learned that contractors hoped to close the reservoir gates in time to catch the spring rains, no later than April 1.

He vowed he would not permit inundation until the state was paid and rejected an offer from Cardmoy to submit the matter to the courts.

The GRDA, a state organized agency, was set up in 1935. The PWA loaned it \$11,563,000 and made an outright grant of \$8,457,000.

Chief Engineer W. R. Holway said that if the gates were kept open during flood season "there would be hundreds of thousands of dollars of damages" to the dam.

Dizzy Dean Reported to
Have Ended His Holdout

Chicago, March 13.—(AP)—The Chicago Daily News reported today that Dizzy Dean had ended his holdout campaign against the Chicago Cubs and would join the team in Los Angeles next Sunday.

The big pitcher, speaking over the long distance telephone from his home in Dallas, Texas, declined to reveal the amount for which he signed. He had been holding out for \$15,000. Phil K. Wrigley, owner of the team, had offered \$10,000, half his 1939

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LINK TAX PROBE WITH INCOMES OF STATE OFFICIALS

Federal Investigator in Springfield to Find Out the Facts

Springfield, Ill., March 13.—(AP)—One or more federal income tax investigators sifted internal revenue records in the state capital today to determine whether the government will probe the reported earnings of any Illinois state officials.

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Terse News

LICENSED TO WED

A marriage license has been issued at the county clerk's office to Charles L. Berg and Miss Winnie O. Oleson, both of Lee.

ENTERS DISPLAY

Gordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Utley of Dixon, has entered his exhibit of carvings in the Marshall Field hobby show in Chicago.

TO FREEPORT MEET

A large number of Lee county Republicans plan to go to Freeport Friday evening to attend a mass meeting, which will be addressed by Dwight H. Green, candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination.

LIONS TO OREGON

Members of the Dixon Lions club plan to attend a dinner in Oregon at 6:30 o'clock tomorrow evening for the purpose of organizing a club in that city. The Dixon Lions will gather at the Hi-Way Grill at 6 o'clock and leave together for the trip.

NEW BULBS FOR ARCH

Several Dixon merchants are agitating the renovation of the memorial arch on Galena avenue.

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Everyone Except Weatherman Aids in Treasure Hunt

With everyone except the weatherman co-operating with whole-hearted enthusiasm, 76 Dixon merchants are ready to join in a spectacular premier of spring styles tonight. The spring opening event is scheduled to get underway at 7 o'clock, with the lighting of windows which are carrying their gayest displays of the year, accompanied by the launching of an exciting treasure hunt.

The participating merchants have gone about the happy task of presenting to you, their customers, the glorious story of spring with a colorful preview of the latest creations of the new season—gathered from the country's largest fashion centers.

As preparations were completed today, downtown windows were attracting interested attention as houses, business women, and school children pass them. The latest ideas in fabrics, colors, style, in shoes, hose, jewelry, in hats, coats, suits and dresses are due for intent looks from visitors tonight, as they obtain their first look at all the new fashions.

Dixon stores salute Mr. and Mrs. Shopper—and Master and Miss Shopper, too—with new clothes for the lady of the house, Easter apparel for the business men, and perky new outfits for the newest generation, as well as new drapes or sheer curtain for windows soon to be looking out on blossoming flowers. The latest in home furnishings and in Paris and New York modes offer a double appeal to the discriminating.

Be sure to attend this spring opening festival of fashion. And don't forget, there's a surprise package in each window!

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Midwest Highways and Streets Treacherous

Chicago, March 13.—(AP)—A light steady drizzle and freezing temperatures glazed streets and highways with a treacherous polish of ice today and forced motor travel to a virtual standstill in parts of five middle-western states.

The head of a motor club's touring bureau, said conditions were the worst of the winter and counseled against travel in the stricken area.

Continued rain and freezing temperatures were in prospect, Vandevar said, leaving no promise of immediate relief.

The glazed area extended over all Iowa, northern Illinois into a line near Springfield north into southern Wisconsin, and northern Indiana from a line near LaFayette north into southern Michigan.

Traffic in Chicago limped along, many motorists left their cars in garages and at curbs and used public transportation. The additional loads slowed up streetcars and elevated trains. Suburban railroad trains kept close to regular schedules.

Cripple Attacks Girl, Kills Her Grandparents, Then Takes Own Life

Chicago, March 13.—(AP)—A crippled youth committed suicide late yesterday after slaying an elderly couple who intervened when he attempted to ravish their granddaughter.

The youth was Howard Larimer, 18, a senior in the Morrill school for crippled children, where he had been regarded as a brilliant student.

His victims were Hugh J. Welch, 72, and his wife, Mary, 70. The slayings occurred in the couple's home.

Bernadette Welch, 17, victim of the attempted attack, and her sister, Mary Ann, 16, were hysterical for several hours after the slayings.

The girls' father, Walter Welch, is a barber and formerly was a county highway policeman. He, his wife and their daughters had been at the grandparents' home.

Frank Larimer, father of the dead youth, said his son had been acting erratically lately. The youth was never known to have been in trouble.

LOCAL WEATHER

For Chicago and vicinity: Cloudy, intermittent light snow tonight and Thursday; somewhat colder Thursday; lowest temperature tonight near 23 degrees; moderate westerly shifting to north winds Thursday.

Wisconsin: Cloudy, intermittent light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Iowa: Mostly cloudy light local snow, somewhat colder in southeast tonight; Thursday occasional snow in northeast and extreme east, cloudy to partly cloudy in west and south-central, somewhat colder.

Wisconsin: Cloudy, intermittent light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Illinois: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in south and central portions tonight; Thursday generally fair in south, mostly cloudy in north, occasional light snow in extreme north, somewhat colder.

Michigan: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Indiana: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Ohio: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Pennsylvania: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Virginia: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

North Carolina: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

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Tennessee: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Alabama: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Mississippi: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Arkansas: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

Louisiana: Cloudy, light snow tonight and Thursday; cold in extreme east Thursday.

FRANKLIN GROVE

Miss Grace Pearl
CorrespondentIf you miss your paper call
Howard Karper

Completely Surprised

A few relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kippler, Thursday evening and completely surprised Mr. Kippler who was celebrating his birthday anniversary. They brought with them well filled baskets from which a lovely lunch was prepared. A birthday cake attracted much attention. The evening was spent in playing 500 and bridge. He received many lovely and useful gifts.

Those present were Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Bunker, Lee Seidel, Dennis and Joey Fielding, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lott, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bremner and daughter Winifred, Mr. and Fred Bettendorf and daughter Betty and Mr. and Mrs. Abe Yingling of this place. Mrs. Hazel Stevens of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yingling and George Yingling of Rockford.

We join the large circle of friends in wishing "Kippie," as he is known to everyone, many more happy birthday anniversaries.

Birthday Party

On Saturday afternoon, March 9 little Miss Lavon Spratt entertained 10 of her little friends with her toys and colored picture books.

The birthday table was graced with a birthday cake with four candles. Each little guest had an individual cup cake with a candle. They were each given a favor and balloons which brought to a close a very enjoyable afternoon. Lavon received some very nice gifts.

They left thanking her for a very happy time.

Those present were: Bertie Lou and Stanley Phoutz, David Knapp, Lou Ann Emmons, Marilyn, Jimmy and Wayne Coffman, Jimmy Patch, Janet and Carol Kesselring, Mrs. Emmons, Mrs. Coffman, Mrs. Patch and Mrs. Kesselring.

"Betty Lou" Pleased

The operetta, "Betty Lou," given by the music organizations of the high school, presented last Friday evening was ably given, well attended, and universally declared to be most enjoyable.

About four hundred people attended the production.

The leading roles were ably carried by Adeline Smith and Warren Zimmerman, who were supported by a mixed chorus of about fifty voices. Mrs. Paul Black was the director, assisted by Miss June Hatch as pianist.

Seebach School Notes

We have five new pupils in school, Clarence Dewey in the fourth grade, Richard Dewey in the second grade, Betty Jean Ross in the first grade, Norma Ross in the third grade and Virgil Page in the second grade.

Five children left the school and moved away, and five moved in, so our enrollment is still 21.

The first graders are making March calendars and posters.

The second grade have been studying Eskimos and making Eskimo pictures. The third and fourth grades had a race on the multiplication tables. The fourth grade won, with Donald Aschenbrenner at the head. The fifth grade have completed a unit on Holland and are making a sand table project to illustrate Dutch manners and customs. Seventh and eighth graders had a test in grammar recently. Some of them find they need more practice on the eight parts of speech. Written by Charlotte Schier.

W. C. T. U. Notes

The W. C. T. U. met on Friday, March 1 at the home of Mrs. Lulu Trostle. There was a good attendance of members and visitors. The meeting opened with singing of two numbers from the W. C. T. U. song book, "This Is My Father's World" and the Crusade hymn. The devotions were led by Mrs. O. D. Buck, with prayer offered by Mrs. Harry Martin. Roll call, "Child Life" brought out many interesting and helpful thoughts on the subject. A short business session came next, with reading of the minutes by the secretary and a financial report by the treasurer. Another honorary member was reported, making four to date. These are men of the community who are interested in our work sufficiently to pay \$100 annual dues and add their names to our membership list by signing the total abstinence pledge. We are thankful for these four new names and would be thankful to welcome more.

Subscriptions to the Union Signal having expired with March, renewals and new subscriptions were received by the treasurer, who reports that the Union Signal club of 1939 will also be part of our 1940 activities. The club includes subscriptions for each of the pastors of the four churches in our town, and for the high school.

The program was then presented by the leader, Mrs. Verda Blucher, on the subject of juvenile protection. She told briefly of the recent White House children's conference, a meeting of over six hundred workers interested in various phases of child welfare.

Mr. O. D. Buck talked on the subject, Juvenile Protection Is Determined by (1) Home Environment, (2) Community Environment. Mrs. Elizabeth Sunday talked on how the L. T. L. helps the home build for (1) Sobriety for the Community, (2) Christian Citizenship. An interesting discussion followed. The meeting closed with singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds," and prayer by Mrs. S. L. Cover. The hostess served delicious refreshments and after a short social period, the group separated. The next meeting will be held on April 5 at the home of Mrs. Verda Blucher.

Rev. and Mrs. O. D. Buck, Rev. Frank Wingert and daughter Nellie, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Buck, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Kinsley and daughter Joyce spent Saturday evening in the Virgil Dierdorf home in Mt. Morris. Rev. Dan Dierdorf of Seattle, Wash., and Rev. Harry Wingert of Kinsley, Iowa, were also present.

Community Club

The Haugen Community club held their evening meeting at the school house. A lovely scrambled supper was enjoyed by the 35 who were present. Mrs. Myrtle Mattern and Mrs. Maud Hussey were the hostesses. After supper games were played and social visiting was enjoyed.

Attended Meeting

Mrs. Harry Patterson, Misses Clara Lahman and Dorothy Durkes attended the women's district meeting of the Methodist church at Sandwich Friday.

Card Club Party

Miss Esther Ling entertained her card club Friday evening at her home with a scramble supper. After supper bridge was played.

Those present to enjoy the evening were Mrs. Lawrence Canfield and Jessie Floto of Dixon, Mrs. Helen Weigle of Amboy, Mrs. Panama Beisecker, Mrs. Faith Cravens, Mrs. Roma Ives, Mrs. Marie Kint, Mrs. Carrie Mong, Mrs. Mary Miller of this place.

Eggs Wanted

The Methodist Aid Society will send eggs to the old people's home Tuesday, March 19th. Please leave eggs at Blucher's store.

500 Party

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Weigle of this place joined Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Weigle of Amboy with a 500 card party Saturday night at the Weigle home in Amboy. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidtman of Milwaukee, Wis., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grace and son Kenneth and Miss Eda Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Miller of this place. Lovely refreshments were enjoyed.

Visited Here

Rev. Harry Wingert of Kinsley, Iowa, visited in the homes of his brother Rev. Frank Wingert and his sister Miss Ada Wingert from Thursday until Monday. He occupied the pulpit in the Brethren church Sunday morning, and his many friends here were glad to hear him.

Mrs. Fred Gross spent Saturday

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Miller of the Kingdom and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Miller were Friday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stultz.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blank of Morrison spent the week end with relatives here. Sunday in com-

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Schmidtman of Milwaukee, Wis., spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Weigle.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hodge and family spent the week end in the home of her mother, Mrs. Harvey Pitzer.

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Society News

Ashton Couple Observes 50th Anniversary

Yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Kersten of Ashton realized the golden anniversary of their marriage. In celebration of the occasion, the couple received informality at their home from 2 to 5 o'clock in the afternoon, with a family dinner party climaxing the event.

A tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bridal pair, was the center decoration on the dining table. It was surrounded by the many anniversary gifts, which were reminiscent of the date. The cake was a gift from Mrs. Ted Seavey of Nachusa township, and the couple's gift from their children was a marine chime mantel clock.

Before her marriage, Mrs. Kersten was Miss Anna Christine Wagner. The couple's wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Wagner, in Ashton township, March 12, 1890. They went to housekeeping on a farm three miles southeast of Ashton, where they resided until moving to Ashton in the fall of 1916.

The Kerstens have three children, Fred, who resides on the farm formerly occupied by his parents, Mrs. Roy A. Herwig of Ashton township, and Mrs. Oliver Ventler of Nachusa township. There are also two grandchildren, Carol Kersten and Eugene Herwig, who assisted in receiving the guests at the reception yesterday.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Kersten are in excellent health, and enjoy entertaining friends. The well-liked couple were serving ice cream and cake to the visitors who called to wish them happiness on their anniversary.

CONTRACT CLUB

Miss Ruth Brown was an invited guest, when Mrs. George Scott entertained her afternoon contract club yesterday. Mrs. Fred Endsley will entertain in two weeks.

HOTEL NACHUSA
DINING ROOM FEATURING
50c
Sunday SPECIAL Dinner

GIVES SLIP COVER LESSON

A number of Ogle county homemakers met recently at Oregon with Dorothy Iwig, extension specialist in home furnishings from the University of Illinois, for instruction in the making of slip covers for furniture. Those attending were Mrs. W. P. Haney, Mrs. Willis E. Smith, Mrs. John M. Price, Miss Jean Hemingway, Mrs. Helen Beeson, Mrs. D. E. Warren, Mrs. S. H. Hills, Mrs. Walter Settles, Mrs. Clare Bradford, and Mrs. Leon Ward, Oregon; Mrs. Irvin E. Miller, Mrs. Willis Pettenger, Miss Lillian Schell, Mrs. Besse Greig, and Mrs. Ales Anderson, Polo; Mrs. E. G. Dunne and Mrs. Adlai Sanderson, Ashton; Mrs. Robert Talbot, Rochelle; Mrs. Susan Sheaff, Holcomb; Mrs. R. G. Case, Byron; and Mrs. S. Bishop, Chana.

Methodist Choir to Give Cantata

An Easter cantata, "The Man of Nazareth," by James H. Rogers, will be presented at the Dixon Methodist church at 7:30 o'clock on Palm Sunday evening.

The scene of the Last Supper introduces the production. Words of the scene are sung by baritone and tenor soloists and the chorus choir. Following scenes are the Garden, where Jesus goes alone to pray, leaving His disciples at the gate to pray and keep watch, and the trial before Pilate in the judgment hall.

Soloists and the chorus next depict the journey to Calvary and the Crucifixion. The earthquake scene, in which the veil of the temple is rent, is followed by a triumphant finale, with all voices of the choir singing.

DESSERT-BRIDGE

Mrs. Lester Street was hostess yesterday for her Tuesday club of 12. A dessert course was followed by contract games, in which Mrs. McGraham, Mrs. Earl Kennedy and Mrs. Charles Lievan shared score favors. Mrs. L. R. Trowbridge will entertain next.

DOROTHY CHAPTER

Dorothy chapter, O. E. S., will meet at 8 o'clock Friday evening in Brinton Memorial Masonic temple.

Jacket Ensemble



NEWLYWEDS ARE FETED AT AMBOY

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Pettenger, recently married, were complimented Friday evening when some 30 guests met at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Eller, in Amboy. Bouquets of sweetpeas which decorated the tables were furnished by Mrs. Addie Mae Eller, the bride's grandmother, who is visiting at her son's home.

Tables were formed for Chinese checkers and bunco. Score favors were shared by Miss Jeanne Long, Mrs. Nelson Schnell, Ray Pettenger, and Glenn Perkins.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. A. L. Selover and Mrs. R. H. Selover, instigators of the party. Gift packages for a miscellaneous shower were presented to the guests of honor.

HAZELWOOD P.T.A.

Games will entertain members of the Hazelwood Parent-Teacher association at 8 o'clock Friday evening. Members and their friends are invited.

WAR MOTHERS

War Mothers have planned an all-day meeting for Friday in G. A. R. hall. Carpet rags will provide sewing, and a scramble luncheon will be served at noon.

Calendar

Thursday

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Phidian Art Club Hears Travelogue

Changing her subject from "Who's Who in Europe," as scheduled in the club's yearbook, in favor of "What's What in America," Mrs. Harry Warner entertained Phidian Art club members yesterday afternoon with a kaleidoscopic picture of this country. Mrs. Wilbur Hart of 510 East Fellows street was hostess for the afternoon.

Mrs. Warner began her travels in early childhood, and has cultivated both observation and appreciation of the scenes she visits. Yesterday her verbal itinerary carried her listeners from city to city, to remote sections, into several Canadian cities, through New England, the midwest, to cities of historic interest in the deep south, the southernmost points of Texas—Galveston and Corpus Christi—through the canyon country and painted desert region of the west, and on to the fascinating cities of California.

Tables were formed for Chinese checkers and bunco. Score favors were shared by Miss Jeanne Long, Mrs. Nelson Schnell, Ray Pettenger, and Glenn Perkins.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. A. L. Selover and Mrs. R. H. Selover, instigators of the party. Gift packages for a miscellaneous shower were presented to the guests of honor.

HAZELWOOD P.T.A.

Games will entertain members of the Hazelwood Parent-Teacher association at 8 o'clock Friday evening. Members and their friends are invited.

WAR MOTHERS

War Mothers have planned an all-day meeting for Friday in G. A. R. hall. Carpet rags will provide sewing, and a scramble luncheon will be served at noon.

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Wool Twill With Braid Trim



Mrs. McColley Gives Review

A typical father-and-son conversation, presented by Jack Marshall and Donald Huffman, provided a realistic illustration for a review of "The Yearling," presented last evening by Mrs. W. S. McColley for the Dixon High School Parent-Teacher association. Nearly 100 members attended the meeting, which was held in the high school cafeteria.

Mrs. Orville Gearhart presided during the program. Special music included piano duets by Marilee Burns and Alice Hintz, and whistling solos by Nadine Galos, accompanied at the piano by Miss Carolyn Bergstedt.

Mrs. H. F. Walder, the association president, conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Winston Edwards is to have charge of the next program, April 17, which is to be featured by home economics and manual training exhibits.

It's smart at winter resorts, and so will be this summer, too, to give your swim costume, no matter how simple, a feminine touch. Typical are a flower corsage, a pair of fluttering butterflies, flower necklace and bracelet and perhaps a matching garland for the hair, realistically and colorfully reproduced in rubber and all made especially for sea dunking. New rubber swim suits are brief-skirted, becomingly flared, have uplift bras and attractive textured surfaces.

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GEORGE WASHINGTON SAID:

"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues of the favorite are liable to become suspected and odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests." From the *Farwell Address*.

Where Does Everybody Stand?

Nothing serves to illustrate more poignantly the lack of direction in the world's current wars than the vacillating alliances among nations. Sacred principles may not be so much at issue as purely material and imperialistic designs.

In a general way, we are told, it is democracy again fascism. Sides do or die. Fight to the finish. On that basis, the sides ought to be fairly easy to line up: England, France and China on the side of democracy among the big powers Germany, Italy, Japan with recently adopted Russia on the fascist side. There should be a clear line of demarcation, with the opposing ideologies as represented by these nations pitted against each other.

Try it out on paper, and see how it works. With democracies labeled "D" and pro-fascist nations tagged "F", this will give you a rough idea:

1. Germany (F), Italy (F) and Japan (F) together in anti-communist pact.

2. Germany (F) sign up with Russia (F).

3. Italy (F) and Japan (F) oppose Russia (F).

4. France D and England (D) oppose Germany (F).

5. Britain (D) and France (D) are being wooed by Japan (F).

6. Germany (F) gives assistance to China (D) in war against Japan (F).

7. Russia (F) fights Finland (D).

8. Italy (F) aids Finland (D).

How can the baffled little man who's standing along the ropes with a worried look on his brow choose sides? If he's one of the democratic neutrals, he has a general idea that he's rooting for the allies. But he can't be sure. Britain and France are said to be lending receptive ears to Japan, while Germany, arch enemy of democracy, is in there pitching for China. It doesn't add up.

Maybe democracy isn't in the scrap at all. It could be that this highly illusive national virtue

ducked out just in time and is even now hiding behind an island somewhere, resentful that its name is being used in vain over the spilled blood of a lot of nice young men.

Strengthen the Hatch Act

Charges that extension of the Hatch act to state employees who are paid federal funds would impose a hardship upon the Democratic party in the coming election seem to be based on reason. For that reason the act should be extended, strengthened, provided with any teeth it needs and put vigorously into effect. Regardless of party considerations it needs to be done. It is to the interests of citizens everywhere to see to it that no party can keep itself in power merely by the influence of its hundreds of thousands of payrollers and their wives, children, parents, aunts, uncles and cousins.

There shouldn't be that many payrollers. The country doesn't need them. Even with the strengthened Hatch law in effect, if it is enacted into law and signed by the President, the million federal payrollers still could vote Democratic and they could influence their relatives to do the same. But they couldn't use their powers of office to win the election by bearing down upon private citizens with a fear and favor program.

Action upon the Hatch proposal should not be upon party lines. If the amendments are made as suggested, thousands of state job holders in Democrat machines could not bludgeon unwilling voters next November. And no future New Dealer masquerading as a Republican could have that power.

People should be permitted to enter the election booths and vote according to the issues at stake. They never should have political swords hanging over their heads, compelling them to vote for that which they abhor instinctively.

We have seen what can be done by political machines in Chicago, Kansas City, New Jersey and elsewhere. Strengthen the Hatch act as insurance against such evils on a nation-wide scale!

Caution, Not Fear

Whatever it was that made the British send their giant passenger liner, the Queen Elizabeth, to the United States for storage, it wasn't fear of losing the war. We have heard the British government accused of many things, but we never have seen a Briton's knees rattling together.

The Queen Elizabeth is so big a flight of enemy airplanes could almost bomb the Queen Elizabeth by accident if they ever penetrate to the ship's parking lot—if the ship were there. And that is the joke. The ship won't be there.

Everything points to the expectation of a blitzkrieg as soon as the weather becomes pleasant. If the Nazis begin a blitzkrieg on their own initiative, it will mean that the British and American propagandists have been stringing us along about the Nazi lack of fuel oil. If Hitler can be pushed into a futile, random campaign, it will mean he has been stringing us along concerning his ability to take punishment for seven years or so.

Judging by present appearances, both sides are itching to fight, but can't find a place to begin. The neutrals are being punished with almost the same severity as the belligerents.

Phooey on a war that lowers the standard of living for neutral women and children.

SERIAL STORY

\$15 A WEEK

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YESTERDAY: Steve Claybourne takes Ann to the fraternity dance, is much surprised when she tells him she already has an invitation. Ann is very nervous, but it is a beauty. She is thrilled, but fears the evening may end in disappointment.

CHAPTER XIX

WHEN Ann walked into the living room even Florabelle was speechless. These girls, cheap in their wants, tawdry in their ideas, for just a moment sensed something beyond themselves, something made up of breeding and culture.

"Gee—" said Neddy.

"Gee—" came Teddy's echo.

Clara boasted, "It's all written up on the society page." She got the paper. "See? Athens Club spring ball—Oh, Ann—I'd be scared to death—I wouldn't know how to act." It was her admission of inferiority.

Neddy scoffed, "Swell folks act just like we do at the taverns." It was another admission.

Teddy opened her mouth to retort, but Florabelle broke in lazily.

"These fraternity dances are all right," she granted. "Personally, I prefer a smaller party."

Myrtle came timidly from the background. "Can I touch it, Ann?" she asked.

Ann held up the skirt for her inspection. "I got it cheap because the pattern goes hay-wire," she explained, pointing out the discrepancy with difficulty.

"It's swell," Myrtle sighed. "I wish Bill could see you. He likes pretty things."

Paul arrived and was greeted by the audience. He had eyes only for Ann. He wore a nicely tailored tux, not double-breasted and midnight blue, but most presentable. He held the evening wrap and Ann slid her arms into the wide sleeves. She smiled her thanks to Florabelle.

Driving down town in a cab, with the radio humming softly, Ann said, "I suppose it's because I'm unsophisticated that I feel so thrilled. But I love it. I love the feel of my dress, I love for you to look like that. It makes me feel precious, somehow."

He laughed understandingly. "Even people like us have moments, Ann. Because we are so we must make the most of them."

She looked out at the myriad lights. "I'm going to make every minute count. Tonight must be more than tonight, it must be a lovely memory. Who knows, it may be my nicest memory."

Paul reached for her hand and thought better of it. "You're a funny youngster," he said. Her hair brushed his cheek, she was like fragrant thistledown.

"We do all right," he said as the music stopped.

Ann wanted memories, she stood out, a bewitching individual, among a hundred girls. Her white and gold slimness, the glory of her hair, her expression of naive delight, drew eyes to her. She knew the eyes followed her as she went through the lounge to the dressing room. She overheard murmurs. "Who is she—who is that girl—who did she come with?"

Paul said, "Don't flirt with me, Ann."

"All right." She could be quite upsetting if I allowed you to be."

"I'll be careful."

"We're friends," he said seriously. "I'd hate to have you become an enemy."

As they passed the stage line Steve stepped out on the floor. He touched Paul's shoulder. Ann found herself in another pair of arms, he was a college man, fraternizing with his own kind. Seeing Ann, he held out his hand to her.

"This is Ann Brown," he said, naming the men in turn. She stood in the center of the group, like a white and gold lily against the dark tuxedos. She made the right answers and the masculine crowd grew. At last she and Paul danced.

Suddenly they came face to face with Steve Claybourne. His eyes slid over Ann in unfeigned admiration. With him was a dark-haired girl. Ann, glancing at her, knew that she was about to meet Irene Temple and that they two were strangely alike.

Steve was mumbbling in Ann's ear, "Come on—let's get out of here—to a damn hot Let's go down to the bar."

"I'd rather dance," she said, holding herself away from his ardent embrace.

"Do you know what you make me think of?" he asked.

"No," she answered indifferently.

"An icicle—a damn little icicle," When she said nothing, he added, "I'm going to kiss you. Miss Brown, and my kisses are guaranteed to melt the most stubborn ice."

His feet were not quite sure, his vision was more than a little blurred. With difficulty Ann kept her little gold slippers out of his clumsy way. His arm tightened and she looked frantically for Paul.

They all laughed and parted. Stepping to the polished floor,

(To Be Continued)

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS
by PAUL MALLON

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Washington, March 12—A cab office has been buzzing into the ears of senators that they need not worry about the budget as long as the treasury has \$1,800,000,000 lying around loose in the stabilization fund, and \$1,000,000,000 more in the cash balance.

It was just after receiving this advice, the Senate Appropriations committee threw the budget up the chimney and increased the farm benefits \$308,000,000.

The cabinet executive may not have been speaking for the President. He did not pretend to. But the temptation he whispered into the senatorial ears was the same as the spending wing men downtown have been using sotto voce for weeks in an effort to use the purely bookkeeping money so as to avoid higher taxes or increasing the debt limit.

The lofty official sources of these continuous murmurings have helped to widen the congressional impression that Mr. Roosevelt would not refuse to be pushed into this way out, especially if Congress would take the responsibility for the pushing.

The prevailing impression is he could wait to see the size of the March 15 income tax returns, and then when the financial deficiencies are apparent, recommend more taxes. As Congress is in no mood for increasing taxes in the shadow of an election campaign, such a presidential recommendation would no doubt result in precisely the same course as his brash cabinet officer is suggesting.

It may work out that way.

Economic tricks by which Britain is financing the war show how different this one is from the last, and what a newly regimented financial world may evolve from the current conflict. John Bull has been forced to borrow bodily some of the economic secrets of Hitler.

British banks, for instance, are acting at the instance of the government in diminishing credit for other than war goods. Use by the public of any goods beyond the simple necessities of life is being forcefully discouraged. This will cause the British citizens to save the portion of the earnings that formerly went into luxuries and semi-luxury goods and there will be no place for them to deposit these savings except to lend them to the government for war purposes.

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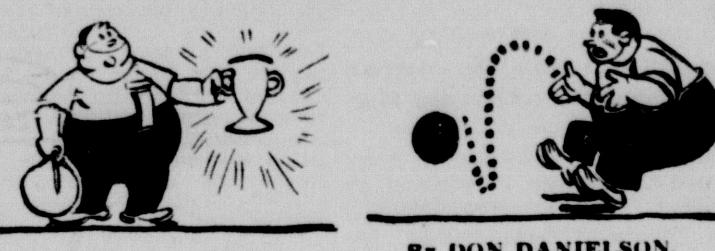
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FANFARE



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COMPARATIVE ENROLLMENTS

Demonstrating again that good things often come in small packages, the Hebron school has an enrollment of 96 students as compared to Crane Tech of Chicago with 5,852. Others over the 1,000-mark are Streator, Bloom of Chicago Heights, Granite City and Moline. Hebron, of course, has the smallest enrollment and the next is Casey with 320.

TO ENTERTAIN CAGERS

The Sterling Gyro club is making plans to entertain the cage squads of Sterling and Rock Falls at a banquet on March 25. Another banquet on the same date is being planned at DeKalb for the high school basketeers of that city. Lynn Waldorf, head football coach at Northwestern university, will be the speaker at the DeKalb affair.

GUESTS AT TOURNAMENT

As a reward for their services during the past season, the ten players who comprised the Belvidere tournament squad for the regional and sectional meets will be guests at the state championship tournament at Champaign, according to William R. Craig, their coach who will accompany the team. The Purple and Gold athletes who will make the trip are Robert Baker, Robert Lincoln, "Red" Craig, Warren Schwarz, Robert Funderburg, William Schmitt, Robert Wickwire, Robert Lear, Earl Wright and Bernie Koppen. (Thought for the day: Who answers when Craig calls "Bob?") Seniors on the squad include Lear, Baker, Wickwire and Schwarz.

MONROE CENTER WINS TITLE

In a post-season game the Monroe Center cagers won the championship of the Route 72 conference last night by defeating Byron, 27 to 14. The game had been postponed because of bad weather earlier in the season. Byron's lightweights won the opening game, 27 to 7. Harms and Ludwig each scored seven points for the Monroe Center champions in the heavyweight game and Nighswonger was high scorer of the game with 10 points out of Byron's 14.

STATE CHAMPIONS

Winners of the Illinois State High school basketball championship which opens tomorrow at the University of Illinois are: 1908—Peoria. 1919—Rockford. 1930—Peoria Manual. 1909—Hinsdale. 1920—Mt. Vernon. 1931—Decatur. 1910—Bloomington. 1921—Marion. 1932—Morton of Cicero. 1911—Rockford. 1922—Centralia. 1933—Thornton of Harvey. 1912—Batavia. 1923—Villa Grove. 1934—Quincy. 1913—Galesburg. 1924—Elgin. 1935—Springfield. 1914—Hillsboro. 1925—Elgin. 1936—Decatur. 1915—Freeport. 1926—Freeport. 1937—Joliet. 1916—Bloomington. 1927—Mt. Carmel. 1938—Dundee. 1917—Springfield. 1928—Canton. 1939—Rockford. 1918—Centralia. 1929—Johnston City. 1940—Rockford. Rockford is the only school in the state having more than two championships and the Rabs have three.

TABLE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Dixon table tennis players have been invited to participate in the Fox Athletic club tournament at Batavia this Sunday. The entry fee is 25 cents per event and the drawings for pairings will take place at 1:30 p. m. Sunday afternoon in the I. O. O. F. hall, East Wilson street, Batavia. Entries from Cary, Elgin, Chicago, Aurora and Dundee have already been received.

DIXON GUARDS DEFEATED

The Company M Gunners of Sterling defeated the Dixon Armory team, 37 to 22, Monday night at the Sterling coliseum. The Gunners took an early lead, 10 to 7, and increased it to lead 20 to 11 at the intermission. Akridge was high scorer for the Gunners with six buckets and five free tosses for 17 points. White led the Dixon team with 11 counters while Crabtree contributed six, Voss four, Fordham one and Wilhelm went scoreless.

TRAINING CAMP BRIEFS

CUBS VS. SOX

(By The Associated Press) Avalon, Calif.—The Chicago Cubs prepared to set out for the mainland and their first exhibition game with the White Sox today minus a regular third sacker (Stan Hack), a regular center fielder (Hank Leiber) and their most famous pitcher (Dizzy Dean). Hack, who has been recovering from an operation, was due in from Los Angeles today but holdouts Dean and Leiber haven't been heard from lately.

REASONS FOR SMILE

San Antonio, Texas—As fans at the St. Louis Browns' camp see it, the broad smile on Manager Fred Haney's face may be attributed to the hitting of Chet Laabs, the improved hurling arm of Jake Wade and the impressive fielding of Joe Gallagher.

TRYING TO MAKE TRADES

Winter Haven, Fla.—Bill Terry keeps trying hard to make trades that will strengthen his New York Giants but all he's been able to get so far is a ground keeper who has been serving the Cleveland Indians. After Monday's game he drove to Fort Myers to confer with Cleveland officials and visited the Boston Bees at Bradenton.

NOT TOO STRICT

Pasadena, Calif.—Jimmy Dykes' big problem seems to be what to do with all his Chicago White Sox infielders. He likes Jimmy Webb as understudy to Shortstop Luke Appling and Bob Kennedy to fill in if Jack Hayes has knee trouble again. Don Kolloway also looks good and may oust Kennedy from the relief job.

DYKES' PROBLEM

San Bernardino, Calif.—Manager Frankie Frisch says he doesn't expect his Pittsburgh Pirates to remain entirely away from alcoholic beverages during the championship season, but any drinking during the training period is out.

REALLY POUTED IT ON

Orlando, Fla.—President Clark Griffith of Washington's Senators says Alejandro Carrasquel is going to be a better pitcher this year because of a talk about letting up against certain batters. "I took him up in my room for an hour and really pouted it on about letting up," said Griffith. "He heard things he won't hear in a long time."

NEW ARRIVALS

St. Petersburg, Fla.—The two most recent arrivals in the New York Yankees' camp, Joe DiMaggio and Red Ruffing, are full of ambition for the coming season. DiMaggio hopes to lead the league in batting again and take home runs and runs-batted-in honors as well. Ruffing says he expects to win at least 20 games this year.

EARLY SEASON INJURIES

Winter Haven, Fla.—Retribution was not long in coming up with Johnny Peacock, Boston Red Sox catcher. He tossed a ball at Jim Tabor and hit him on a finger.

HAAS LOOKS GOOD

St. Petersburg, Fla.—Even if Dolph Camilli doesn't sign, the Brooklyn Dodgers seem to have a pretty good first baseman in Bert Haas, up from Nashville with the Southern Association batting title in his pocket. In four exhibition games, Bert has batted in eight runs, four of them with a pair of homers off Detroit pitching yesterday.

PITCHING HOPE

Anaheim, Calif.—Southpaw Herman Besse looks like he is going to click for the Philadelphia Athletics. In three games he has pitched nine innings, eight of them scoreless, given up eight hits and four runs.

THREE LEFT-HANDERS

Bradenton, Fla.—Les Scarsella,

"Sweet Sixteen" Set for War

Northern Illinois Watches Hebron Five

ROYAL CARDINALS COMPLETE PLANS FOR BIG BANQUET

Sterling and Dixon Cage Teams to Be Honored Tomorrow Night

Sterling cagers will sit next to Dixon basketeers here tomorrow night as the rivals from the two schools break bread together at the Royal Cardinals' Sportsman's banquet at St. Mary's hall.

Final program plans were completed today by the committee and everything points to an evening of fun and good will. Tickets are reported to be going rapidly with an invitation which has been extended to the fans of both cities to join in the affair.

Principal and Mrs. Roscoe Eades and the tournament ten of Sterling will be honored in gesture of good will along with members of the Dixon coaching staff, their wives, the Dixon tournament ten and the senior members of the squad.

Lyle Snader, master of ceremonies for the banquet, today announced that John L. Stager of Sterling and Robert L. Bracken of Dixon will represent the two cities as the main speakers of the evening.

Mr. Stager, a University of Michigan graduate and former athlete here, is a member of the Sterling Township high school board of education and was a star player on the first Sterling Township football team in the early part of the century. Mr. Bracken, well-known to Dixon fans, was captain of the Notre Dame football team at about the same time.

Other Speakers

Besides these two speakers, representatives from the fandom of the two schools, from the teams and the faculty will be called upon to speak.

The hour of the banquet has been set for 6:30 and a menu of Italian food is to be served by the girls who are members of the Royal Cardinals.

Sterling has joined in publicizing the banquet and a delegation of fans and parents from the Whiteside county city are expected to attend the function.

Members of the Dixon team who will be guests of the club are Ardell Bugg, Cyril Shank, Clarence Kelly, Bob McNamara, Bill Shultz, Bill Witzleb, Bill McNichols, Bill Moser, Leland Shoaf, Alan Wienman, Richard Callahan, and Earl Kelchner. Those from Sterling include: Wolf, Ridge, Hidden, Duhm, Pettit, Howard, Steadman, Grieser, Brown and Woodward.

Reservations for the dinner must be in by this evening and tickets may be obtained late today from any member of the club or at the Soda Grill, Fulps' United Cigar store or the Candy Box.

EXHIBITION BASEBALL

Yesterday's Results (By The Associated Press) At St. Petersburg, Fla.—Cincinnati (N) 8; St. Louis (N) 2. At Clearwater, Fla.—Brooklyn (N) 9; Detroit (A) 5.

At Anaheim, Calif.—Philadelphia (A) 6; Hollywood (PC) 4.

Today's Schedule

At Tampa, Fla.—Cincinnati (N) vs St. Louis (N).

At St. Petersburg, Fla.—New York (A) vs Brooklyn (N).

At Winter Haven, Fla.—New York (N) vs Boston (A).

At Bradenton, Fla.—Boston (N) vs Detroit (A).

At Miami Beach, Fla.—Philadelphia (N) vs Syracuse (I).

At Anaheim, Calif.—Philadelphia (A) vs Hollywood (PC).

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REASONS FOR SMILE

San Antonio, Texas—As fans at the St. Louis Browns' camp see it, the broad smile on Manager Fred Haney's face may be attributed to the hitting of Chet Laabs, the improved hurling arm of Jake Wade and the impressive fielding of Joe Gallagher.

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Dixon Industrial League Champs Play in Tourney



HEBON TEAM TO MEET LEWISTON TOMORROW NIGHT

Sixteen Teams Set For Battles to Determine New Champions

The team from Hebron, the apple of northern Illinois' eye, meets its first opposition tomorrow night at seven o'clock in an effort to fulfill the dreams of the little village of some 600 persons. The Hebron five will clash with the Lewiston cagers at 7 o'clock in the first round of the state championship finals at Champaign.

By PAT HARMON

Written for The Associated Press

Champaign, Ill., March 13—(AP)—Sixteen teams begin the final battle for the Illinois High School basketball championship here tomorrow and fans face the pleasant prospect of watching one of the fastest, most wide open scoring matches in the tournament's history.

Dundee, which meets Rushville in a trophy case along with Ernie Nevers' No. 1 football jersey . . . Lanny Ross, the songster, who set the quarter-mile record for the Penn relays in 1927, still keeps in shape by trotting around Central Park every morning, rain or shine . . . Dixie Walker gave the rest of the daffy Dodgers something to shoot at by reporting at Clearwater with a negro valet in attendance.

Attention, Judge Landis: The Cardinals will concentrate 68 farm hands at Columbus, Ga., beginning March 18 . . . (Looks like good pickings) . . . The Stanfords will enshrine the No. 7 jersey immortalized by Angelo Luisetti in a trophy case along with Ernie Nevers' No. 1 football jersey . . . Lanny Ross, the songster, who set the quarter-mile record for the Penn relays in 1927, still keeps in shape by trotting around Central Park every morning, rain or shine . . . Dixie Walker gave the rest of the daffy Dodgers something to shoot at by reporting at Clearwater with a negro valet in attendance.

Sammy Baugh says he'll play football one more season, then take a coaching job . . . During his holdout campaign Red Ruffing paid a catcher to come around every day and help him get in shape.

Kennel Club.

The Marsfield (Wis.) cagers who lost 6 in a row, can move over . . . Here comes the Heresiote & Chemical team of Manitowoc, Wis., with 69 straight losses . . . Nevertheless, the boys are in there elbowing every Friday night.

Californian BECOMES NO. 1 CANDIDATE FOR THE "LITTLE ALL-AMERICAN" CAGE TEAM

Kansas City, March 13—(AP)—

Edward P. (Slip) Madigan ousted as football coach at St. Mary's college, blames a member of the board of athletic control who

"threatened to 'get me.' The board retorts that Madigan refused to withdraw gracefully.

Silence still cloaks the board's reason for deciding Monday not to renew the contract of Madigan.

Madigan asserted that Andrew Burke, San Francisco attorney, had "swayed those on the board who are in favor of me but fear to buck his clique."

This charge drew a formal statement from J. Phillip Murphy, board chairman. He said the decision was reached more than a week ago and that it was suggested Madigan take a leave of absence with salary for the rest of his contract, expiring in March, 1941.

Madigan was told he could have

any such action, x x x The

board had no alternative but to release the story. It is a matter of regret that Mr. Madigan's attitude has made necessary this added statement."

"I knew this was coming," Madigan said, "and I have written letters to my friends around the country, seeking business opportunities. Naturally, I cannot say that I will leave coaching for good, but I do prefer to enter business."

He immediately became candidate No. 1 for one of the watches to be presented the quintet selected by a committee of which E. C. Quigley, umpire-in-chief of the National League and veteran baseball arbiter, is head.

Yesterday's concluding first-round results:

Superior, Wis., Teachers 55; Upper Iowa University, Fayette, 42.

Peru, Neb., Teachers 49; Augustana College, Rock Island, Ill., 46.

Kansas Wesleyan, Salina, 45;

Arkansas State, Conway, 33.

Delta State, Cleveland, Miss., 43;

Dakota Wesleyan, Mitchell, S. Dak., 31.

Texas Wesleyan, Fort Worth, 40; Warrensburg, Mo., Teachers, 36.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Markets at a Glance

(By The Associated Press)
New York—Stocks mixed; airlines attract buyers.
Bonds steady; Scandinavian issues soar on Finnish peace.
Foreign exchange lower; most major rates decline.
Cotton weak; foreign and domestic selling.
Sugar lower; hedge pressure, Wall Street liquidation.
Metals quiet; offerings of spot tin increase.
Wool tops soft; spot month liquidation.

Chicago—Wheat lower; good snows. Corn lower. Cattle steady to 25 off. Top 10% higher; top 55%.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, Mar. 1—(AP)—No cash wheat. Corn No. 2 mixed 57%; No. 2 yellow 57%; No. 2 mixed 56%; yellow 57%; sample grade white 52%; oats sample grade mixed 38%; No. 2 white 44%; No. 2, 44%; No. 42%; sample grade white 40%; soy beans No. 2 yellow 115%; No. 4 112%; barley malting 55%; nom; feed 40%; 50 nom. Field seed 4.90%; 5.25%; sweet clover 4.00%; 5.25%; red clover 12.50%; 15.00%; red top 8.50%; 9.00%; alike 15.00%; 18.00%; alfalfa 18.00%; 23.00%.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)
Open High Low Close

WHEAT—
May 1.02% 1.03% 1.01% 1.01%
July 1.01% 1.01% 98% 99%
Sept. 99% 1.00% 98% 98%
CORN—
May 56 56% 55% 55%
July 56% 56% 56% 56%
Sept. 57% 57% 56% 57%
OATS—
May 41% 41% 41 41%
July 38% 36% 35% 35%
Sept. 33% 33% 33 33%
SOY BEANS—
May 1.16 1.16% 1.14% 1.15
July 1.11% 1.12% 1.11 1.11%
RYE—
May 66 66% 65% 65%
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LARD—
Mar. 5.95
BELLIES—
Mar. 5.25

Chicago Produce

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(U. S. Dept. Agr.)—Potatoes 143, on track 453, total US shipments 823; old stock, firm; supplies heavy trading slow account weather; sacked per cwt Idaho Russet Burbanks US No. 1, very few sales 1.92%; 95; US No. 2, few sales 1.42%; 147%; Nebraska Bliss Triumphs US No. 1 washed 260; Minnesota and North Dakota Red River valley section cobbers 85 cwt per cwt; No. 1 few sales 1.12%; Bliss Triumphs US commerical few sales 1.25%; unclassified 1.05; early Ohio 85 to 90 percent US No. 1 130-35; Wisconsin round whites US commercial 1.22%; katasundans US No. 1, 1.45; Bliss Triumphs unclassified 1.05; new stock US No. 1, slightly stronger, US No. 1, size B, steady; supplies moderate demand slow; less than carlots, but crates Florida Bliss Triumphs US No. 1, washed 2.50; US No. 1, size B 2.15. Poultry live, 10 trucks; steady; Plymouth Rock broilers 18; young turkeys 14; other prices unchanged.

Butter 627,214, firmer, prices unchanged. Eggs 20,402, firm; fresh graded extra firsts cars 17; firsts cans 16%; storage packed, firsts 17%, extras 17%; other prices unchanged.

Butter futures, storage stds.; close, Mar. 27.00. Egg futures, refi. stds.; Oct. 19.00.

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Richard Meade
Reporter

Housewarming Party

Old friends and neighbors gave a housewarming party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Englehart on Friday evening. A big number were on hand for the occasion. They were presented with a beautiful gift. After an evening of cards and visiting the guests departed wishing Mr. and Mrs. Englehart happiness in their new home.

Junior Woman's Club

The Junior Woman's Club met in a regular session on Thursday evening with Miss Alice Glashagel presiding. It was voted during the business session, to join a new book club. An evening of cards were enjoyed by those present and dainty refreshments were served.

Cafeteria Supper

The Methodist church will have a cafeteria supper on March 26. The event will be sponsored by the Builders' class.

Inquest Held

The inquest held at the Torman undertaking rooms on March 9, 1940, with Coroner Segner in charge came to the following verdict: Wilbur Ketchum, died of injuries received in an auto accident, two miles west of Paw Paw, at 11:20 p. m., Friday, March 8, 1940.

Jurors were: John Ulrey, John Prentice, Arthur Wells, Frank Nangie, Sheldon Cooke, and John White.

New Time

"The Accordionettes", a popular radio feature over WMRO, Aurora, of which Miss LaRayne Harper of Paw Paw is a member, will be heard from 5:00 to 5:30 p. m. The many Paw Paw friends of Miss Harper are glad to hear of the success of the group of which she is a member.

At Hospital

Mrs. Zephia Searcy underwent a major operation at the Harris hospital in Mendota on Friday morning. Latest reports say she is doing as well as can be expected.

Notice

Paw Paw news in The Telegraph will appear in Tuesday's Wednesday's and Friday's issues, instead of the usual days.

Family Night

A scramble supper, the Presbyterian family night, will be held on Friday evening at the church parlor.

Attend Funeral

The following are relatives from out of town who attended the Wilbur Ketchum funeral on Monday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ketchum, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ketchum of Crystal Lake; Mrs. Huey and sons of DeKalb; Mrs. Winnie Rizit, Mrs. James Smiley of Darien, Wisconsin; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Kimes of Erie; Mrs. Cary Ennis, Mrs. Charles Bunnell, Mrs. Gerald Holcomb, Silas Baker, and Mr. and Mrs. Will Baker of Rock Falls.

Attend M. E. Meeting

Mrs. Carl Rosenkrans, delegate, and Mrs. Gertie Smith, alternate, accompanied by Mrs. H. C. Barton, and Mrs. Arthur Harpner attended a Methodist meeting at Sandwich on Friday evening.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all of our friends and neighbors who expressed their sympathy by sending us food, money, and furnishing us autos and other assistance in our time of great sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Ketchum and family,

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ketchum.

Adv. 631

Harrison Beemer and S. A. Wright were in Dixon on business Monday.

Mabel Schreck, Agnes Truckenbord, Della Harper, LaBert Stern, and Mildred Schreck, were Sunday visitors in Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Johns of DeKalb were Paw Paw callers on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Town and son Bill and Lee Coss were Rockford visitors on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Beemer of Aurora visited at the Alvin Beemer home on Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Wells was a Sunday guest at the Mrs. Davis home in Waterman.

Miss Alice Glashagel spent Sunday in Elgin with friends.

Mrs. Mabel Worsley visited on Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Pry, who is ill at Mendota.

Mrs. Harrison Beemer had her tonsils removed at the Harris hospital in Mendota, on Wednesday.

Dorothy Ann Roessler is fully recovered from the mumps.

Miss Estelle Brewer spent Friday evening and Saturday with Miss Helen Mead.

Wilbur Vickery of West Brooklyn was a Paw Paw business caller Saturday.

Maurice Krueger of Rockford spent the week end in town.

LaVerne Hopwood of Waukegan was a Paw Paw caller on Sunday.

Wayne Wright was a Mendota business caller on Saturday.

Wayne Wright of Chicago is staying at the Frank Nangie home for an indefinite period.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ketchum and son were Friday evening supper guests at the Dee McLaughlin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Baird have moved to a farm near Waterman.

and will be employed by Gil Kaufman.

Raymond Landers and Miss Inez Etzbach were Rockford visitors on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goble and family were DeKalb visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rosette and Mrs. Viola Rosette were Sandwich visitors on Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Nangle of Lombard was a Sunday visitor in Paw Paw.

Miss Inez Etzbach spent the week with relatives here.

Frances Martin was a Sunday visitor at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Amundson were Sunday visitors in Peru.

Miss Edith Urish of DeKalb teachers' college spent the weekend at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Urish.

James Yenerick was a DeKalb visitor on Saturday evening.

Attorney and Mrs. G. K. Garard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bennett at Rockford Sunday.

Walter Berry, Orlin Nelson and Dick Meade were in Mendota on Saturday.

Everett Urish was a Leland visitor on Friday.

Harold Yenerick spent the week end in Champaign with friends.

Miss Frances Urish spent the weekend with friends in LaSalle.

RED RYDER



Watchful Waiting

By FRED HARMAN

has been scheduled by the recreation department.

Alva Krider, hospital weather prophets de luxe, tells of the efforts of one lone gander to get a flock of 150 geese into flying formation near farm 3 recently. According to Alva we will have an early spring.

Ben Gholson is away on one of his trips home. He will return on March 14.

Plans have been completed for the organization of a class in model airplane making. It will be under the direction of Byron C. Chasteen of the recreation staff.

We learn by the "grape vine" that telephone operator Kenneth Dudman was called to the telephone at his home recently by a party who asked "Does Fish live here?" "No," replied Kenneth yawning sleepily and thinking of his interrupted nap. "Fish live in the water," "O nerz" said the party and left.

The condition of all employees on sick leave is reported as satisfactory with the exception of George Reiling who is not making the progress that it was hoped he would.

With spring just around the corner (we hope), it is hoped that all will comply with the recent request of the managing officer and discontinue the practice of making paths across the grass at various points on the campus.

The forthcoming issue of the Cottage Visitor will feature a cover drawn by Miss Lois Cohen a resident of cottage 88.

Bronx Shex Pullen formerly enjoyed here visited with friends at the hospital recently. Mrs. Pullen also a former employee accompanied her husband.

A number of entries have been received for the human interest story contest the Cottage Visitor is sponsoring. Judges for this contest are R. J. Graff, M. D. acting assistant managing officer, Miss Dorothy Ternow of psychologist's office and G. E. Phillips, editor of the Cottage Visitor.

Deadline for entries for the first award is announced as 8 a. m. April 1. The first winning story will be published in the issue of April 16.

Scout Leonard De Roo, Troop Scribe of the hospital Boy Scouts is the proud possessor of a letter from the managing officer in which the scribe and his troop is commended and the hope expressed that the training the boys are receiving will assist in making them all useful and happy citizens.

"Bill" Powell and George Lathrop are the first we have seen in 1940 to be driving new cars. Bill has a Buick and George a DeSoto.

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Dorcas Class

The Dorcas class of the Evangelical Sunday school will meet at the home of Mrs. Ben Zumdahl Thursday evening, with Mrs. Lewis Asche as assistant hostess.

Returned

Mrs. John Rock returned Monday from Omaha, Neb., where she was called by the death of her mother.

Student of Aviation

Manley Claussen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Claussen of Mt. Morris, was a visitor Sunday at the home of Mrs. James Harshman.

He is a student of the aviation school at Rantoul, from which he will graduate in April and will be sent from there to Moffett field in San Francisco.

Rinkydink Club

The Rinkydink club members were entertained Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Vietmeier. High scorers in "500" were Oscar Vietmeier and Mrs. Clarence Rademaker. Mrs. Harry Anderson and Clarence Rademaker won second and the traveling prize was awarded to Mrs. Lewis DeGraff.

Firemen's Dinner

The Philathea class of the Methodist church will serve dinner Thursday night at the Coliseum to Oregon firemen, their wives and members of the cast in the play "The Firebug," which was given at the firemen's ball recently.

Bridge Club

The Double Four bridge club met with Mrs. Josephine Beebe Monday evening. Favors went to Mrs. Frank Yeager and Mrs. Ralph Atkins and traveling prize to Miss Lewis DeGraff.

Family Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Carman entertained at family dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. East, Mr. and Mrs. Harry East of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Cooke and Miss Nadine Dailey of Indianapolis, Ind., and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doeber of Holcomb.

City Council

The city council passed an ordinance at their meeting Monday evening permitting the bowling alley recently opened by William Prather to operate Sundays from 1:00 to 10:00 P. M. with the exception of the Sundays during the Lenten season.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Lauer were visited Monday by the latter's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. James Dunn of Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Travis, Mr. and Mrs. John Bowers and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Kuhn, Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Dusing and children were visitors Sunday of the former's mother, Mrs. Mary Travis at Polo.

Miss Beryl McDonald, student of Illinois Medical college in Chicago, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. McDonald.

EX-LEGISLATOR DIES

Springfield, Ill.—(AP)—James F. Morris, 81, former state legislator and for 13 years secretary-treasurer of the Illinois State Federation of Federated Women's clubs at the Y. W. C. A. in Freeport, Thursday.

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At District Meeting

Rev. and Mrs. G. B. Draper will attend a Methodist district ministers' meeting at the Winnebago street church in Rockford Thursday morning. Mrs. A. I. Maxwell, Mrs. Clare Bradford and Mrs. J. L. Nisley have been chosen as delegates to the provisional conference to be held in the afternoon, with Mesdames S. O. Garard, Marion Wachlin and Howard Todd as alternates.

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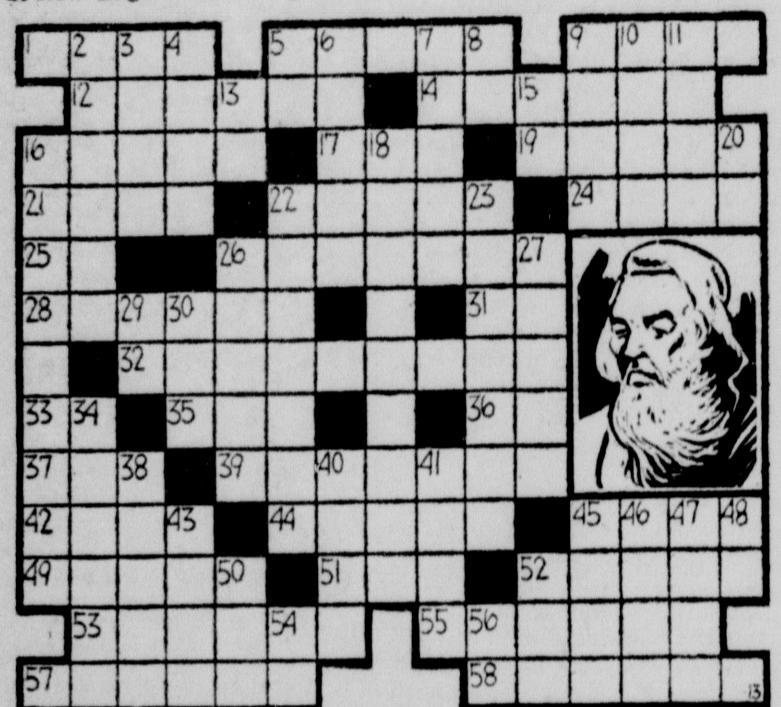
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 2 He was a Venetian whosht— was in England.
 12 Bakes.
 14 Public official.
 16 Kind of law.
 17 Seaman's cry for help.
 19 Silly.
 21 Trees.
 22 Disclosed.
 24 Pleased.
 25 To subist.
 26 Hidden.
 28 Want of appetite.
 31 Measure.
 32 He and his son were famous—
 33 Transposed.
 35 In the middle of.
 37 He discovered or explored
VERTICAL
 10 Verbal.
 11 Bird.
 13 South Carolina.
 15 Palm lily.
 16 His son—
 17 accompanied him in 1498.
 18 Asylum for orphans.
 20 Verbal ending
 22 Device for sewing braid.
 23 Musical terms
 26 Urbane.
 27 Heals.
 29 Into.
 30 Beret.
 34 Kneepan.
 38 Name.
 40 Barbed spear.
 41 To serve.
 42 Tiny particle.
 44 Storms.
 45 Word.
 49 Godling.
 51 Boggy land.
 52 Orderly collection.
 53 Device for releasing.
 55 To deprive.
 57 He discovered or explored
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1497.
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59 Ambassadors.
60 Tiny particle.
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62 Drossern.
63 Eat tuft ego.
64 User farms.
65 Sir Talaria liva.
66 Nee carat omens.
67 Edda atone wind.
68 Moorish granada.



SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Smart! I'll say he's smart! He wrote Doris a love letter in Latin and she can't even translate it!"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



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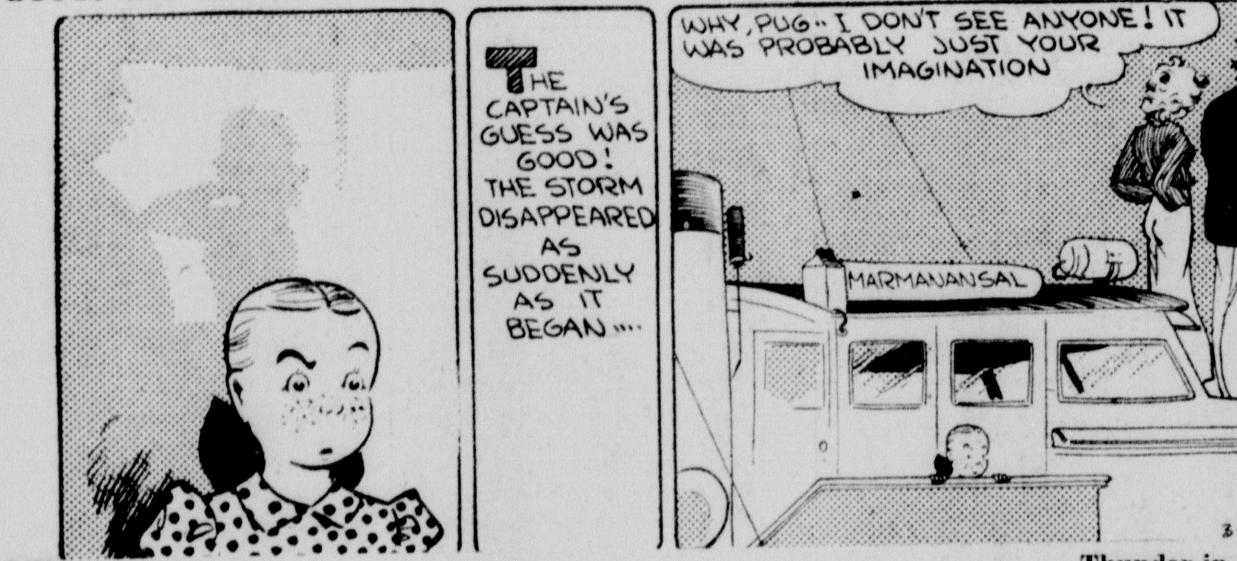
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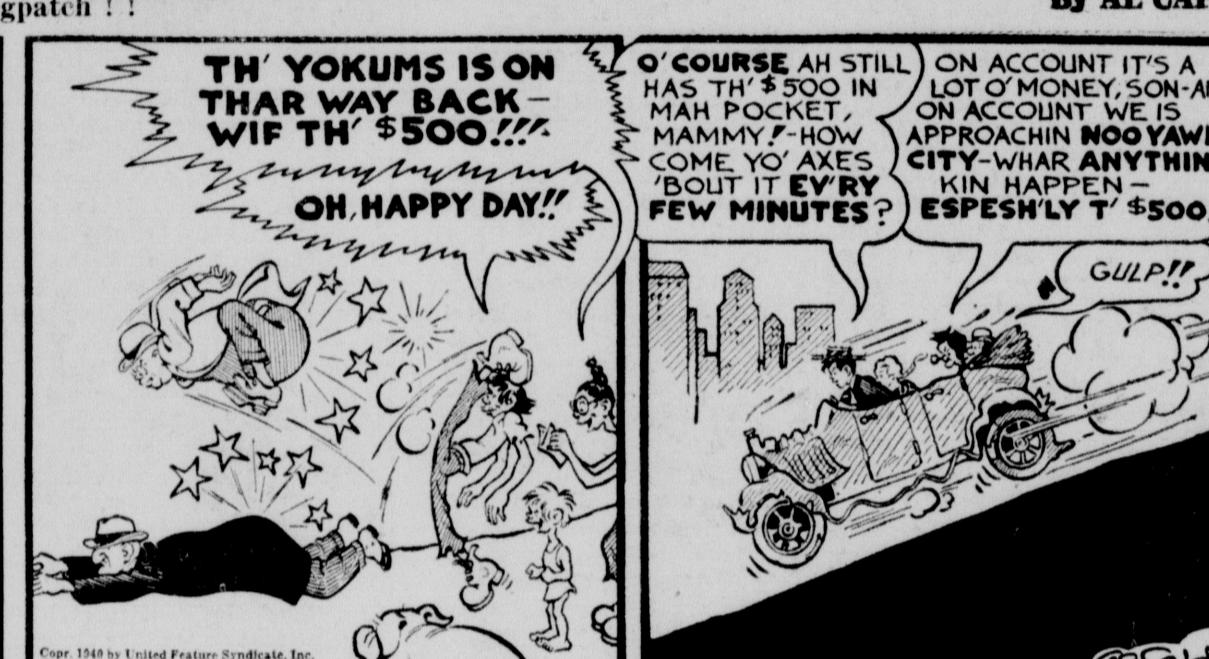
BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



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By EDGAR MARTIN

HEY! OVER THERE IN THEM BUSHES! THERE'S A WHOLE BUNCH OF 'EM



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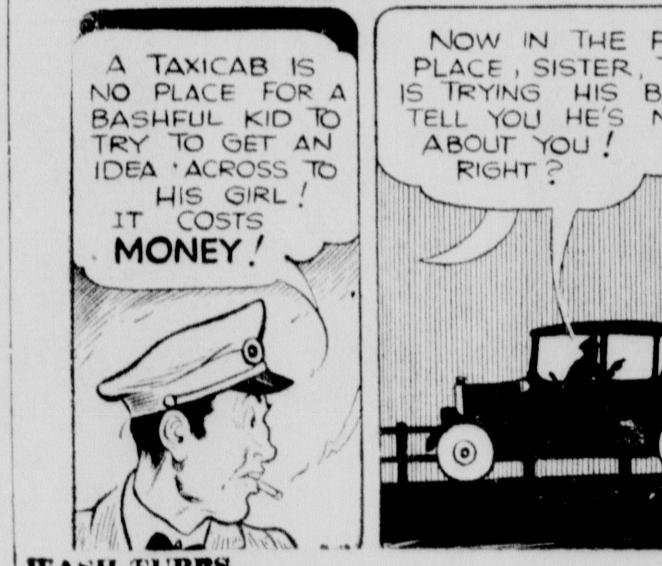
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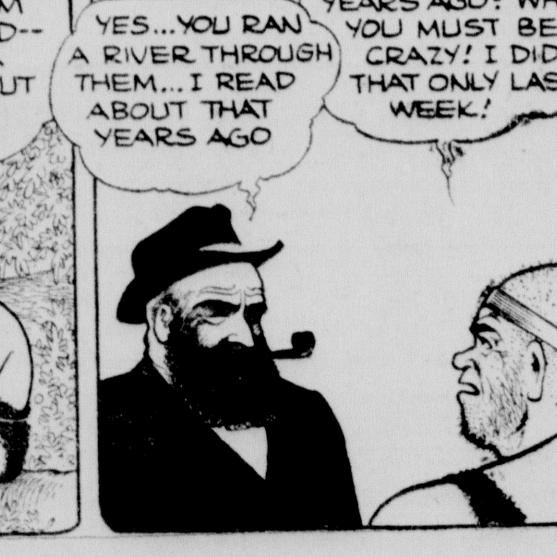
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 EWE, FILLY.

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Politicians Everywhere Will Watch Illinois and Wisconsin

Chicago, March 13—(AP)—Two presidential preference primaries next month will furnish a tip on political trends in an area rich in electoral votes—the populous midwest Lake states.

The five states in the region—Illinois, Wisconsin, Indiana, Ohio and Michigan—have a population in excess of 25,000,000 and control 100 votes in the electoral column.

The sector is well-supplied with presidential aspirants. Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg of Michigan and Senator Robert A. Taft of Ohio are candidates for the Republican nomination. Paul V. McNutt of Indiana is prepared to make an active bid for the Democratic nomination if President Roosevelt doesn't want it.

Contests for convention delegates in both major parties are assured in Wisconsin and Illinois. The results are expected to gauge sentiment not only in those states but also in the neighboring ones. All are similar economically, having highly-industrialized regions as well as extensive farming territory.

Wisconsin will pick 24 delegates in its April 2 primary. A week later Illinois will choose 58 delegates, one of the largest blocs in the nation. Ohio's primary comes on May 14. Indiana and Michigan choose delegates at state conventions.

Roosevelt vs. Garner

The Wisconsin primary, binding on delegates, will test the relative strength of President Roosevelt and Vice President Garner in the Democratic ranks, and of Senator Vandenberg and Thomas E. Dewey of New York on the Republican ticket. Governor Julius P. Heil, a Republican, personally favors an unstructured delegation.

The Progressive party has no presidential candidate in Wisconsin, and its lone senator, Robert M. LaFollette, is reported to have adopted a "hands-off" policy on the presidential race.

Dewey is unopposed in the Illinois Republican primary April 9, but Roosevelt and Garner forces are scrambling for Democratic delegates. Garner submitted a certificate of candidacy, but Roosevelt's name was entered by the

Chicago Democratic organization headed by Mayor Edward J. Kelly and National Committee Chairman A. Nash.

As in the Wisconsin primary, Roosevelt made no comment about the submission of his name in Illinois.

Illinois delegates are not bound by the primary, but Mayor Kelly has said that the delegation would be Roosevelt's as long as he wished. Gov. Henry Horner has waged bitter battles with the mayor's group in recent campaigns, but they are now united behind Roosevelt and a slate for state offices. Garner's supporters have pledged a finish fight on the third-term issue.

Ohio's Delegation for Taft

Senator Taft will have Ohio's 52 Republican convention votes.

Gov. John W. Bricker remains a "dark horse" candidate for the Republican nomination and an heir to the delegation in the event of Taft's withdrawal or elimination.

Ohio Democrats are expected to send delegates pledged to National Committee Chairman Charles Sawyer as a "favorite son" candidate but available for Roosevelt if the latter seeks the nomination. Senator Vic Donahay's recent decision to retire deprived the party of an outstanding vote-getter.

Senator Vandenberg currently occupies the favorite position among Michigan Republicans, although strong Dewey sentiment exists. The senator's friends are seeking backing for him in two roles—presidential aspirant and candidate for re-nomination. Leaders in several Democratic camps have agreed to go along with Roosevelt if he runs again but say that Postmaster General Farley's influence cannot be discounted.

Michigan's 38 delegates will be named at state conventions. The latter may adopt resolutions endorsing individual candidates, but delegates usually consider their obligation discharged after the first vote at a national convention.

In Indiana the Democratic organization has been leading the campaign for McNutt, who is expected to get the state's 28 convention votes if the president is not in the race. The Republican delegation probably will be unstructured.

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AMBOY

Mrs. Harold Ankeny
Reporter
Phone 47-3 Rings

Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Reinboth spent Saturday in Canton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lafferty, LaVerne, Elaine and Rita Steil and Miss Shirley Lally were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hudson of Lena on Sunday.

Mrs. B. J. Haefner entertained the following at Sunday dinner and supper: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fisher, Mrs. Carrie Schmehl, Miss Rose Becker all of Mendota. Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Haefner and family of Walton and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lally.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weise of Chicago spent the week end at the E. J. Miller and Mrs. George Weise homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller and son Bruce of Mendota spent Sunday afternoon at the E. J. Miller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller and daughter Metzie of Dixon spent Sunday at the William Herzog home.

John Sharkey returned home Sunday after an extended visit with his cousin, Mr. and Mrs. James McCormick and daughter, Norma.

Mrs. H. B. King, Irvin Ankeny, Lois Brewer, Clarence Derr and Fred Derr spent Sunday at the John Ankeny home in Woosung.

Victor Potts, Marie Potts and Jean Quillhart were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Ditsch.

Oliver Dickenson is improving from his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Vaupel and family were Sunday dinner guests at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Barlow.

Mrs. Francis Ridenhour of Dixon visited at the home of her sis-

ter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fane, Sunday.

Mayor Clemens Schuette is recovering nicely from injuries received last week in an automobile accident.

W. R. C.

The W. R. C. will meet on next Saturday for a scramble dinner at noon. Each member is requested to bring a guest. Each member will bring a dish to pass.

TOWN NEWS

David Jones of Oregon spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Schade were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ada Klapprott and daughter Clara.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weber who purchased a farm near Amboy moved to their new home on Tuesday.

NEIGHBORHOOD CLUB

The Binghampton Neighborhood club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Morrissey Saturday evening.

The evening was spent in playing 500 to which high prizes were awarded to Mrs. Ivy Nicholson and Harry Gascoigne and low were won by Mrs. Minnie Sears and William Smith. At a late hour a delicious lunch was served by the hostess.

TOWN TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Underhill and family were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Reid.

The ladies afternoon club of Binghampton will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Blanch Gascoigne.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hillison and daughter Patsey were dinner guests on Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hillison.

FOOD SALE

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational church will sponsor a food sale at Doty's store Saturday March 16th at 10:00 a.m.

W. C. T. U.

Mrs. Temperance Tilton was

hostess to the members of the W. C. T. U. at her home with a scramble dinner on Friday. Mrs. Tibbitt of Dixon gave an interesting talk on Temperance and Mission. Seven members attended.

TOWN NEWS

Miss Olive Lawlow spent the week end in Wyandot visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Lawlow.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Proctor of Gary, Ind., spent the week end at the E. B. Smith home.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Leonard Novak of West Brooklyn underwent a major operation on Tuesday. Her condition is satisfactory.

Miss Ethel Donnelly underwent an emergency appendectomy on Monday.

Miss Gertrude Roenmick of Sublette submitted to an appendectomy on Wednesday.

Mrs. Fannie Graf of Dixon was admitted to the hospital on

Thursday for medical treatment. Mrs. Louis Pettinger, Howard Glen, Catherine Piel, Mrs. Joe Nicholson, Frank Hartman and Mrs. Frank Branigan are receiving care at the hospital.

Joseph Campbell of Lee Center was admitted to the hospital on Wednesday for medical care.

Mrs. Ted Biester is on floor duty at the hospital.

Amboy spent the week end with their grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Levi Sears.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hillison entertained the members of their 500 card club at their home Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Koehler held high score. Mr. and Mrs. William Shippert were low.

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